REMARKS

Prior to examination, Applicants hereby cancel claims 1–53 and add new claims 54–72. No new matter is added.

In view of the above amendment, Applicants believe the pending application is in condition for allowance.

Applicants believe no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-1945, under Order No. HSDO-P01-002 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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